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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Conversation With William Woodruff Regarding the Director's 19 May Appearance Before Senate Appropriations Subcommittee

- 1. Today I talked to William Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, regarding plans for our upcoming 19 May appearance before our Appropriations Subcommittee. Woodruff said:
 - a. We should be prepared for questions regarding Cambodia.
 - b. The Subcommittee will be interested in the Director's role in the community and the control he exercises over the community in terms of the money it spends.
 - c. We should check the headlines just before our appearance for last minute developments that are likely to stimulate questions.
- 2. Woodruff suggested that Mr. Duckett be present to handle questions on R&D contracts.
- 3. Woodruff said he will do what he can to keep things on the track and make sure we cover our budget adequately. He expects the session to run about 2 1/2 hours.
- 4. Woodruff commented that in talking today to Senator Russell he told Russell that "the Agency was broke and Dick needed help,"

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